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Straw Hats,
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Some People Ask
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The Man's Store

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SHOE PRICES TO SOAR STILL MORE

Relief to Be Urged Upon Congress and State Department by Merchants.

Shoe prices will be higher next winter unless Congress and the State Department take immediate steps either to stop the shipment of finished leather from this country or prevail upon the warring countries to allow skins to be shipped to America.

This is the united opinion of local shoe dealers, who will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the Willard with a committee representing the entire shoe industry of the United States to map out a campaign to relieve the situation. At 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon the committee, headed by A. J. McGowan and A. C. Geuting, president and secretary, respectively, of the National Shoe Retailers' Association, will appeal personally to Secretary of State Lansing to do something to relieve the situation which has been created in this country as a result of the embargo placed on the shipment of skins by the belligerent countries.

"The scarcity of skins from which shoe leather is made has already had some effect on the price of shoes in this country, but the situation will be much worse next winter and the following spring," said Arthur Burt, president of the Washington Shoe Retailers' Association, discussing the situation yesterday. "We are not feeling the effects of the embargo so much now," he continued, "because the majority of retailers have contracted for their stock for months ahead. But when the factories begin making the spring shoes in October, the situation will grow acute unless Congress or the State Department takes some action."

Buying Up Leather.

Joseph Berberich, another local dealer, pointed out that not only are the European countries holding back their shipments of skins to this country, but that they are buying up all the finished leather they can find in this country.

"Not very long ago," said Mr. Berberich, "an English firm sent a representative to this country to buy \$5,000,000 worth of finished leather."

Mr. Berberich pointed out that while the United States is dependent upon Europe for its supply of skins, it is a large percentage of the finished leather used in Europe. At present Europe is withholding its skins for military purposes, but continues to buy finished leather here.

"What we want Congress to do," said Mr. Berberich, "is to stop the shipment of leather from this country."

Mr. Berberich said that while an embargo on the shipment of leather from this country would by no means make conditions in the shoe industry normal, it would help considerably to keep down the price of shoes during the crisis.

The retailers have been active in the movement to appeal to Congress and the State Department. Mr. Burt said, however, that they stand between the manufacturer and the consumer and feel it their duty to do all in their power to keep down the price of shoes.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

District of Columbia and Maryland—Partly cloudy Sunday. Monday fair; moderate south to west winds.

Virginia—Local showers Sunday. Monday probably fair; light to moderate southerly winds.

The indications are that there will be local showers Sunday and fair weather Monday in New England and New York and local showers Sunday and probably Monday in the South Atlantic States and along the East Gulf coast. Generally fair weather with occasional showers and the Mississippi River during Sunday and Monday.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

Midnight.....	55	12 noon.....	80
2 a. m.....	58	2 p. m.....	83
4 a. m.....	58	4 p. m.....	85
6 a. m.....	58	6 p. m.....	81
8 a. m.....	60	8 p. m.....	79
10 a. m.....	75	10 p. m.....	87
Highest, 86; lowest, 57.			
Relative humidity—8 a. m., 69; 2 p. m., 35; 8 p. m., 38.			
Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 a. m.), 0.07; hours of sunshine, 11.3; per cent of possible sunshine, 75.			
Temperature same date last year—highest, 75; lowest, 52.			

TEMPERATURES IN OTHER CITIES.

	Highest	Lowest	Rain-
	today	last	today
Ashville, N. C.....	82	62	0.75
Atlanta, Ga.....	80	74	0.22
Atlantic City, N. J.....	70	64	66
Baltimore, Md.....	82	64	78
Boston, Mass.....	66	68	0.08
Buffalo, N. Y.....	80	58	64
Chicago, Ill.....	76	69	74
Cincinnati, Ohio.....	72	69	74
Denver, Colo.....	80	52	82
Detroit, Mich.....	80	62	78
Indianapolis, Ind.....	82	68	78
Jacksonville, Fla.....	86	74	78
Kansas City, Mo.....	82	64	75
Miami, Fla.....	86	78	82
New Orleans, La.....	80	70	84
New York, N. Y.....	74	62	82
Philadelphia, Pa.....	82	66	74
Pittsburgh, Pa.....	82	64	70
Portland, Me.....	70	58	66
St. Louis, Mo.....	84	68	80
Tampa, Fla.....	88	70	78
Toledo, Ohio.....	82	66	74

AD MEN ENTERTAINED.

Chicago Delegates to Convention Visit Capital.

Washington entertained more than 100 Chicago advertising men yesterday. The party, members of the Advertising Association of Chicago, were in the Capital about three hours spending most of the time sight seeing. They left last night for Philadelphia to attend the annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which opens today. Secretary of Interior Lane will deliver the opening address. Other speakers who will address the convention before it closes Thursday, are Cyrus H. K. Curtis, Adolph S. Ochs, R. Goodwin Rhett, N. C. Kingsbury, Frank Stockdale and Lowell E. Pratt.

The guests, who were headed by S. Dewitt Clough, president of the Chicago organization, represent the largest advertising club in America.

Appointed Bishop of Los Angeles. Rome, June 24.—Right Rev. John McCort, D. D., auxiliary bishop of Philadelphia, has been appointed bishop of Los Angeles, Cal.

To Prosecute Balty Guardsmen. Dayton, Ohio, June 24.—Attorney General Turner announced today he will prosecute to the limit any Ohio National Guardsman who tries to dodge service by "fraud or trivial excuses."

LOCAL MENTION.

Va. today—"The Miracle of Life," a picture you can't miss. Also Chaplin in a screaming farce, "The Circus," 8 o'clock—5c.

KENSINGTON RAILWAY.

Chevy Chase cars from Treasury and Seventh street pass entrance Zoo and Country Club, connect with Kensington Line, recently extended. Picnicking and choice location for suburban residence or for board during the season.

FAVORABLE VOTE ON RETIREMENT

House Committee Reports the Griffin Bill Aiding Superannuated Postal Clerks.

A favorable report on the Griffin bill to retire superannuated employees of the postal service on an annual pension of \$600 a year, was ordered yesterday by the House Committee on Postoffices. The bill, introduced by Representative Daniel J. Griffin, of New York, affects employees of the railway mail, rural free delivery, and city free delivery services, as well as clerks in postoffices. Postmasters, however, are excepted from the provisions of the bill by a committee amendment.

The Postmaster General is directed to organize retirement boards for the several branches of the postal service, and these boards shall consider applications for retirement from old employees. Retirement applications may be either voluntary or enforced by superior officers.

Any employee with a record of twenty-five years service who reaches the age of 65 years, is entitled to retirement under the bill. Where employees are incapacitated for further duty by injury contracted in the service, retirement may be had regardless of the age of the employee.

The report of the Griffin bill is the first recognition in Congress of the principle of retirement of superannuated government employees. More than two score members of Congress appeared before the Beakes' subcommittee which held hearings on the bill and advocated its report so that old letter carriers and clerks might be retired. As Chairman Moon, of the postoffice committee, is opposed to the legislation the House committee directed Representative Beakes, of Michigan, to report the bill to the House. The bill was reported in committee by a vote of 12 to 6.

Flowers and Floral Decorations—for weddings, receptions, and all social occasions. Estimates given. Guide, 124 F.—Ad.

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336 Lost on Russ Liner.

Petrograd, June 24.—Three hundred and thirty-six persons perished when the Russian steamer Mercury was sunk by a mine in the Black Sea off Odessa, according to latest advice received by the admiralty. The ship sank five minutes after it was blown up, carrying down with it scores. Many others were killed by the explosion.

Militia Gets \$100,000 Balloon.

Columbus, Ohio, June 24.—Maj. Harold M. Bush, commanding Ohio field artillery, has announced that the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, of Akron, has presented his battalion with a \$100,000 "kite" balloon.

Fifteen thousand Russians from this country will work on Canadian farms.



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Make It Easy for You to Hear Whatever You Like Best—at Its Best on the Columbia Grafonola

Hecht & Co.'s Talking Machine Service and easy terms have set all Washington dancing; has brought grand opera, the great instrumentalists, orchestral music and many a good laugh into hundreds of homes that were formerly lacking in just such varied and wholesome entertainment.

Ten Days FREE Trial in Your Home Will Surely Convert YOU Into an Ardent Admirer of the "One Incomparable Musical Instrument."

Vacation days are coming—hundreds of Washingtonians will soon be seeking new pleasures at mountain, seashore and river resorts. To make the outing a complete success and one that will be long remembered

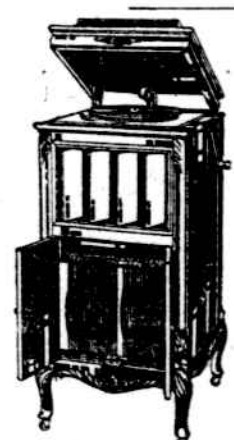
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Apprentices on Outing.
The Washington Navy Yard apprentices gave their annual moonlight excursion on the steamer St. Johns last Friday evening. The following officers of the organization were in charge: Luther A. Frank, Earnest W. Rauth, George Curpin, John Dyer, and John West.

Barking Dog Saves Boy.
Neenah, Wis., June 24.—The furious barking of a pet bulldog saved the 6-year-old son of Mrs. Mabel Christianson, who lives on a farm southwest of Neenah, when the boy fell through some rotten boards into a cistern at the home of his grandfather, M. R. Schafer, at Neenah.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
COSMOS
MATINEE 10:15
EVENING 8:25

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THE TALK OF CITY.



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A Staging Organization that Has Attracted Attention Everywhere.



THE CYCLING McNUTTS

In a Combination of Comedy.
12 Minutes of Fast Fun and Class.



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A Comedy "Raisley" Act, Featuring One of the World's Rarest Novelties—2 Japanese Comedians.



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In "The Duke of Malberry Bend"

A Screaming Farce and Full of Action.



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Ventriloquist Act of Exceptional Merit.

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The Town Crier

The steamer Charles Macalister will leave today on a special Sunday excursion at 10 a. m. and at 2 and 6 p. m.

The Law School of the George Washington University will start its first summer session tomorrow.

The Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of Washington will hold a two-day excursion at Chesapeake Beach tomorrow and Tuesday. The excursion is for the benefit of the sick and disabled employees.

A meeting of the board of governors of the Retail Merchants' Association has been called for Monday at 2 o'clock to discuss matters affecting the business interests of Washington. President R. P. Andrews announced yesterday that the special committee on legislation will make a report.

Washington Aerie, No. 125, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will hold its annual excursion to Chesapeake Beach on July 19. J. L. Wege has reported that an interesting program is being prepared.

The Central Citizens' Association will hold its last meeting of the season tomorrow night at North Capitol Savings Bank Building. M. J. McNamara is president, and John McMahon secretary.

The League of Peace, Prosperity and Preparedness was organized at a meeting held yesterday morning in the oak room of the Raleigh. The next meeting will be held at the Raleigh on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The official organ of the league will be the National Democratic Review.

A joint public celebration of Independence Day will be held at 10 o'clock on the morning of the Fourth of July at the foot of the Washington Monument under auspices of the Sons of the Revolution in the District and the District Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

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